

PROJECT 10073 RECORD CARD

1. DATE 22 August 1958	2. LOCATION USSR (North Pacific)		12. CONCLUSIONS <input type="checkbox"/> Was Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Balloon <input type="checkbox"/> Was Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Aircraft <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Aircraft <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Was Astronomical Meteor <input type="checkbox"/> Probably Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Possibly Astronomical <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> Insufficient Data for Evaluation <input type="checkbox"/> Unknown
3. DATE-TIME GROUP Local _____ GMT TR 22/1750Z	4. TYPE OF OBSERVATION <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Ground-Radar <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Air-Visual <input type="checkbox"/> Air-Intercept Radar		
5. PHOTOS <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No	6. SOURCE Military		
7. LENGTH OF OBSERVATION 2 seconds	8. NUMBER OF OBJECTS one	9. COURSE - - -	
10. BRIEF SUMMARY OF SIGHTING Object of undetermined shape due to brilliance of object. Size of pea at arm's length. Green-white color. No tail. Visual only, no radar contact. Object moving from left to right in horizontal flight. After 10 dgr arc object had portion separate in a descending arc and almost at the same time the main portion exploded. No increase in brilliance during explosion. Total duration 2 seconds.		11. COMMENTS Apparent Bolide observation.	

ATIC FORM 329 (REV 26 SEP 52)

Country: **USSR (At Sea in North Pacific Ocean)**

Subject: **See Below**

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Info Spec: **DE/pcp**

Distr: **4E3d/4E1g/4F1/4B1a**

MC #: **None**

Rpt #: **CAF IN: 79351**

Agency: **DAF Staff Mes Div**

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DEBRIEF OF CDR BOYD AND COPILOT REVEALS FOLLOWING ADDITIONAL INFORMATION. UNABLE TO DETERMINE SHAPE DUE TO BRILLIANCE OF OBJECT. ¹³ APPROX SIZE OF A PEA HELD AT ARMS LENGTH. GREENISH WHITE COLOR WITNESSES SAW NO TRAIL OR EXHAUST. NO SOUND HEARD. VISUAL SIGHTING. NO ELECTRONIC CONTACT. TIME OF SIGHTING DUSK, NO STARS YET VISIBLE. OBJECT APPEARED ABOUT 10 DEGREES ON STARBOARD BOW TRAVELING FROM RIGHT TO LEFT IN A HORIZONTAL PATH. WHEN ABOUT DEAD AHEAD A SMALL PART APPEARED TO SEPARATE IN A DESCENDING ARC AND DISAPPEARED. ALMOST SIMULTANEOUSLY MAIN PORTION

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Set 1.2, Card 2/2

USSR (At Sea in North
Pacific Ocean)

MC #: None

Rpt #: CAF IN: 79351

EXPLODED WITH LITTLE INCREASE IN BRILLIANCE. BRILLIANCE APPROXIMATELY CONSTANT
UNTIL FINAL EXPLOSION. VISIBLE APPROX 2 SECONDS. OBJECT NOT SIGHTED BY OTHER
AIRCRAFT ON TRACK. POSITION AND HEADING OF OTHER BARRIER AIRCRAFT AT THE TIME
OF SIGHTING. 35-40 NORTH 174-00 WEST CUS 210.

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